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In re Patent No. 7,038,616   :
Issued: 2 May, 2006   :
Application No. 10/743,368   :   LETTER DISMISSING PETITION
Filed: 22 December, 2003   :
For: TARGET IDENTIFICATION FROM   :
A POOL OF TARGETS USING A NEW   :
ADAPTIVE TRANSMITTER-RECEIVER   :
DESIGN   :

This is a decision on the paper filed on 16 May, 2006, styled as
a petition under 37 CFR 1.182, to correct the sole inventor's
name.

The petition is **DISMISSED** for the reasons stated below.

Petitioner states that the inventor's name was not correctly
stated in Office records. Specifically, the inventor's middle
initial was inadvertently placed before the inventor's first
name, and the inventor's middle name was not completely spelled
out.

The proper fees have not been supplied. Effective 8 December,
2004, the fee for a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 is $400.00. The
petition, however, authorized only the charging of $130.00 to
counsel's deposit account. 37 CFR 1.22(a) requires all fees
payable to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to be paid in
advance. As such, the patent must be dismissed pending
submission of the proper petition fee.

Furthermore, the present application issued as U.S. Patent No.
7,038,616 on 5 May, 2006. As such, a $100.00 certificate of
correction fee and a completed Certificate of Correction Form
must also be filed.

Further correspondence with respect to this matter should be addressed as follows:

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